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7 **SENATE RESOLUTION**

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9 GIRLS BASKETBALL TEAM FOR WINNING THE CLASS 1A STATE
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20 WHEREAS, the Nevada High School Lady Blue Jays girls basketball team
21 claimed the Class 1A state championship on Saturday, March 9, 2013, defeating
22 the Weiner Lady Cardinals by a score of 51-31 before a crowd of 7,342 at
23 Barton Coliseum in Little Rock, Arkansas; and

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25 WHEREAS, the game was dominated by senior point guard Brianna Mullins,
26 named the tournament most valuable player, who led the team with a game-high
27 32 points and had 8 rebounds and 5 steals to help the Lady Blue Jays capture
28 their second state title and first since 1992; and

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30 WHEREAS, Coach Stacy Cornelius noted after the game that her team had
31 been working towards this goal since they began playing Pee Wee Basketball,
32 that they are "a very close-knit bunch", and that "you couldn't ask for a
33 better group"; and

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35 WHEREAS, the Lady Blue Jays rolled through the state championship
36 tournament winning their four tournament games by an average of 16 points,



1 defeating Alpena 39-29 in the first round, Bay 64-41 in the quarterfinals,
2 and Acorn 67-54 in the semifinals; and

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4 WHEREAS, the Nevada Lady Blue Jays finished the season with an
5 impressive 37-2 record; and

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7 WHEREAS, the Lady Blue Jays were led by four senior starters, Kenya
8 Frazier, Kalyn Fraser, Chianti Roberson, and Brianna Mullins, junior Aspen
9 Blakely, and senior reserve Kyla Mullins,

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11 NOW THEREFORE,

12 BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE OF THE EIGHTY-NINTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE
13 STATE OF ARKANSAS:

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15 THAT the Senate congratulates and commends the Nevada High School Lady
16 Blue Jays for winning the Class 1A girls state basketball championship and
17 for an outstanding season.

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19 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that upon its adoption the Secretary of the Senate
20 mail a copy of this resolution to the Principal and the Athletic Director of
21 Nevada High School.